

असाधारण

EXTRAORDINARY

भाग 11--लण्ड 1

PART II-Section 1

प्राधिकार से प्रकाशित



नई विल्ली, शुक्रवार, विसम्बर 27, 1974/पौष 6, 1896

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MINISTRY OF LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS

(Legislative Department)

New Delhi, the 27th December, 1974/Pausa 6, 1896 (Saka)

THE PRESS COUNCIL (SECOND AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, 1974

No. 14 OF 1974

Promulgated by the President in the Twenty-fifth Year of the Republic of India.

An Ordinance further to amend the Press Council Act, 1965.

WHEREAS a Bill further to amend the Press Council Act, 1965 has been introduced in Parliament but has not yet been passed;

And whereas Parliament is not in session and the President is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary for him to take immediate action to give effect to the provisions of the Bill;

Now, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of article 123 of the Constitution, the President is pleased to promulgate the following Ordinance: --

1. (1) This Ordinance may be called the Press Council (Second Short title Amendment) Ordinance, 1974.

and commencement. (2) It shall come into force on the 30th day of December, 1974.

Act 34 of 1965 to be temporarily amended.

- 2. During the operation of this Ordinance, the Press Council Act. 1965 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act) shall have effect subject to the amendment specified in section 3.
- Amendment 3. In section 5 of the principal Act, for sub-section (1A), the following of section 5. sub-section shall be substituted, namely:—
 - '(1A) Notwithstanding the expiry of the period of office specified in sub-section (1), the Chairman and other members holding office as such on the 29th day of December, 1974 shall continue to hold such office until the appointed day:

Provided that nothing in this sub-section shall apply to a member—

- (a) who ceases to be a member before the appointed day, by reason of the provisions of sub-section (2); or
- (b) whose term of office expires before the appointed day, by reason of the provisions of sub-section (3); or
- (c) who is deemed to have vacated his seat before the appointed day, by reason of the provisions of sub-section (3A); or
- (d) who is deemed to have vacated his office before the appointed day, by reason of the provisions of sub-section (4).

Explanation.—In this sub-section, "appointed day" means the 31st day of December, 1975, or, where the Central Government, by notification in the Official Gazette, appoints an earlier date, such earlier date.'.

FAKHRUDDIN ALI AHMED,

President.

K. K. SUNDARAM, Secy. to the Govt. of India.